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Colorado Experiencing Unusu-
ally Severe Spell.

BLOCKS MOUNTAIN PASSES

Thirteen Snowslides Reported Be-
tween Durango and Silverton, and It
Is Impossible to Move Trains on the
Georgetown Loop Line.

Denver, Feb. 10.—The storm that
has raged throughout Colorado for
twenty-four hours was one of the
worst experienced in the state. Never
before have railroads been so block-
aded by snow and slides. Passes
through the Rocky mountains are near-
ly all locked and traffic over the Den-
ver and Rio Grande and the Colorado
Midland almost suspended. Poncha
Cumbres and Marshall passes are
blocked with snow, and Tennessee
pass is kept open with difficulty.
Marshall pass had not been closed
before in many years. Thirteen snow-
slides are reported between Durango
and Silverton, and the Georgetown
Loop line of the Colorado and South-
ern is closed.

Rio Grande eastbound train No. 6,
which was sixty hours late and which
narrowly escaped a rockslide at the
Utah line two days ago, is again
blocked at Shoshone. The slide at
Shoshone descended but two minutes
before the arrival of the train.

Glenwood Springs reports two slides,
one of which struck a stage, but in-
jured none of the passengers.

Lake City has been without a train
for two days and is running out of
fuel. No trains are expected there for
three days.

Breckenridge is cut off from rail
communication and the thermometer
had not risen above 3 degrees below
zero all day Wednesday.

The Colorado Midland tracks are
blocked by a large slide at Sellers.

BELIEVES HE IS MEMBER.

Rainey Inclined to Opinion He Is Con-
nected With the Ananias Club.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Representa-
tive Rainey of Illinois, whose speech
in the house on the Panama canal
purchase has drawn forth a rebuke from
the state department in its official
reply to the Panama government's pro-
test, is inclined to assume he has
been elected to the Ananias club. This
is based on the statements in Secre-
tary Bacon's letter as to the presi-
dent's view of Rainey's speech.

Mr. Rainey made a statement Tues-
day in which he did not expect Presi-
dent Obaldia of Panama or President
Roosevelt of the United States to
agree with him. He added it was
only necessary to arrive at some fact
uncomplimentary to the president and
his administration to be elected to the
Ananias club, provided the candidate
had the courage to make the fact pub-
lic.

MONTREAL WINTER CARNIVAL.

Ten Days of Merriment Begin by Open-
ing of the Ice Palace.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—With the throw-
ing open to the public of the splendid
ice palace the carnival of winter
sports began today.

For ten days the people of Montreal
and the surrounding country, with
many visitors from the United States,
will experience all the joys that the
winter season in Canada can give.

The palace is the main attraction
for tourists. It is a fine edifice con-
structed of ice blocks on the east flank
of Mount Royal. It is brilliantly light-
ed at night, both inside and outside,
and is illuminated frequently by dis-
plays of fireworks. One of the fea-
tures of the carnival will be the storm-
ing of the palace in mimic warfare
by a large body of men mounted on
snowshoes.

The program of attractions includes
exhibitions of snowshoeing, skee-
ing, skating, hockey, tobogganing and
sleighbing.

Trainload of Sugar Beet Seed.

Galveston, Feb. 10.—Among the con-
signments of inward cargo to be dis-
charged from the North German Lloyd
steamer which is due to arrive at
this port from Bremen next week is
over a trainload of sugar beet seed.
Invoices have arrived by mail showing
10,124 sacks of seed, valued at \$55,501.
The most of the seed will be shipped
direct to Colorado, a part of it going to
other western states.

DRAPER'S SLAYER CAUGHT

As Measure of Precaution Is
Taken to Sherman.

Sherman, Feb. 10.—Heavily man-
acled, both hands and feet, and ac-
companied by Sheriff W. F. Walker
and Constable G. M. Matthews of La-
mar county, John McIntosh, the negro
slayer of Deputy Constable Will Drap-
er of Paris, was brought to Sherman,
arriving here at 2 o'clock Wednesday
morning over the Frisco from Wister
Junction north of Paris, where he was
captured. He was taken from the
train and placed in a closed carriage
and carried to the Grayson county
jail, where he was placed in a cell.
McIntosh is well known in Sherman,
having at one time worked on the
Gunter ranch, west of here, and later
for the different railroads entering as
a section hand. He was easily identi-
fied by a number of blacks as well as
white people. He is sullen and mor-
ose and will make no further state-
ment than to say: "Well, you see it's
me."

The officers were accompanied to
Sherman by J. M. House of Paris, for
whom McIntosh worked at the time of
the killing, and who identified him at
Wister Junction, and also by the
deputy United States Marshal who ar-
rested him.

It was stated that McIntosh would
not be taken back to Paris until the
excitement dies down, as to do so
would mean a lynching, and Mr.
Draper was a popular officer.

In making his escape from Paris
last Friday night McIntosh came to
Sherman on top of a Texas and Pacific
passenger train, went to Gunter, this
county, that night, and just before
daylight next morning caught a Frisco
train and went north.

When arrested he still had the rifle
with which he killed Draper. He at-
tempted to use it, but was prevented.
A reward of \$300 was offered for his
arrest.

HARN DIES.

Katy Engineer Burned In Accident
Near Muskogee Expires.

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 10.—Fred
Harn of Denison, engineer of the Katy
freight train which ran into three oil
cars near here Tuesday night, caus-
ing them to catch fire, was so badly
burned that he expired at 5 o'clock
Wednesday morning. This is the sec-
ond victim, Brakeman Joe Quinlan of
Parsons, Kan., being burned to a
crisp. Fireman Frank Nelson of Deni-
son, thought to have been killed, was
seriously burned, but will recover. W.
S. Rome and Frank Ross of Muskogee
were badly injured.

The loss is estimated at \$175,000,
chiefly sustained by the railroad.

SENATOR ASPHYXIATED.

Another Legislator In Critical Condi-
tion, Due to Gas Escaping.

Guthrie, Feb. 10.—Senator George
Johnson of Fort Cobb is dead and
Senator B. Yeager is in a critical con-
dition. Both gentlemen while in at-
tendance on the legislature have been
rooming together. Senator Yeager
turned on the gas Tuesday night to
warm the room. Sufficient escaped to
cause these deplorable results.

Pry Off Door, Get Ten Dollars.

Fort Worth, Feb. 10.—Houston and
Texas Central railway's safe at Ken-
nedale had its door pried off and \$10
taken. Dynamite was found on the
floor.

KNOX'S ELIGIBILITY.

This Is a Question That Taft Will
Have to Deal With.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Is Senator
Knox eligible for the position of sec-
retary of state in the incoming cabi-
net is a pressing question President
Elect Taft is confronted with.

The facts in the case are perfectly
plain. There is no dispute about them.
Senator Knox was last elected for a
six year term, which will not expire
until March 4, 1911. The constitution
prohibits the appointment of a senator
to an office created or salary which
has been increased during the term
for which he was elected.

It is quite evident the senator him-
self is a great deal perturbed by the
springing of this question at this time,
and denied himself to all callers and
advised with his personal friends, es-
pecially those of a legal turn of mind.

Big Blaze at May.

Brownwood, Tex., Feb. 10.—The en-
tire east side of the business section
of May was destroyed by fire. Loss is
\$60,000.

LIVELY TILT IN SENATE.

Thomas Investigation Brings on
Warm Debate.

Austin, Feb. 10.—Immediately after
morning call in the senate Wednesday
the Thomas investigation matter came
up. By unanimous vote the senate, on
motion of Senator Brachfield, went
into committee of the whole.

Senator Meachum resigned from the
investigation committee. Senator
Greer was appointed, Senator Thomas
reaching him.

A dramatic incident was the presen-
tation by Senator Thomas of petition
signed by citizens of Farmersville,
commending the stand he has taken in
the matter, and advising him "to keep
up the good work." The angered some
of the senators and the petition was
not read. Senator Terrell (of Bowie)
remarked that it ought to be thrown
out of the window.

Senator Meachum took the floor on
the question of personal privilege and
asserted that in view of the statement
of Senator Thomas in the press, that
he had never said that Thomas would
be in danger of personal violence
should he make these charges; that he
advised Thomas in a friendly spirit,
when he learned Thomas intended to
make these statements, that senators
would shoot him full of holes and
would not stand for it. He declared
that heretofore and since charges had
been made that Thomas had stated he
had no objection to him (Meachum)
being on the committee; further, that
the statement made by Thomas that
he (Meachum) was not in favor of the
enforcement of the anti-lobby law was
incorrect and untrue, as he had voted
for the measure at the last session.

Thomas—"Did I say I was going to
make any statement that would be
construed as reflecting on honesty
and integrity of any member of the
senate?"

Meachum—"You did not; but the
language used could not have been
construed as only reflecting on mem-
bers of the senate. I know of no other
senator who would have sent up such
a petition to the senate. Please state
the origin of the petition."

Thomas—"I do not know, only it
came through the mail from Farmers-
ville from citizens who endorse the
stand I had taken. I did not intend
to reflect on any member of the sen-
ate."

Chair—"Does the senator mean to
say that it is a reflection on the
chair?"

Thomas—"No, sir."

Meachum then suggested that the
senate go into committee of the whole
to consider the charges.

Senator Thomas and Meachum had
a debate as to whether Meachum
would remain on the committee. Thom-
as said he did not object to Meachum
if he had no unkind feeling toward
him.

The chair announced that Thomas
had told him that he had no objection
to Meachum, and there was no inten-
tion on his part to be unfair in this
matter.

Meachum asked Thomas if the state-
ment he had made on plea of personal
privilege was substantially correct.

Thomas—"No, sir; it is not."

The senator did not say he was not
opposed to the enforcement of anti-
lobby law.

Meachum then said that he was in
favor of enforcement of anti-lobby law
and had voted for it.

Sensor Sturgeon said he had had a
conference with Thomas and the latter
wants to investigation set for hearing
on a certain day; that he is not a
lawyer and wants to engage counsel;
that it is only fair to Thomas, as he
wants to reduce his charges to writing.
Sturgeon suggested that the hearing
be held next Tuesday.

Sensor Senter was opposed to the
hearing in the daytime and suggested
that it be at night, as there are so
many important measures coming up
for consideration.

Thomas said that would suit him
perfectly, as the people could then at-
tend the hearing.

Hume insisted that the hearing
should be held in the broad light of
day; that such charges are more im-
portant than any measures pending in
the legislature, the honor and integrity
of the senators; that it was more im-
portant than anything else.

Sensor said he did not wish to re-
tard the investigation, but did not
want to obstruct legislation.

Sensor Harper—"I want to take up
this matter now. No senator has a
right to make such charges, insult-
ing senators, if he is not prepared to
substantiate his charges with facts."

Thomas—"You would not want to
force this investigation before I can
get ready for trial?"

Holsey said the charges are so se-
rious that time should be given Thom-
as. He did not think the matter
should be precipitated.

Hume—"We are the defendants. If
the charges are true, I for one, do not
want my seat in this senate, and if
they are not I do not think the senator
who made them should retain his seat.
If some one outside of the senate has
violated the anti-lobby law the courts
are open to the senator. The senator
who made the charges is not on trial,
but it is the senators."

A resolution was adopted to have
printed in the journal the report fur-
nished by Senator Thomas to the
press, and also the speech he made on
the question.

Brachfield was opposed to any delay
whatever. He said it is not province
of state senate to investigate viola-
tions of anti-lobby law, that it is for
the grand jury of Travis county. "Now
Thomas wants to prove that anti-lobby
law has been violated, while he has
charged that senators have been mo-

CONDENSED REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

OF BRYAN, TEXAS

As made to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close
of business February 5th, 1909

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$291,794.30
Overdrafts.....	386.04
Advances on Cotton.....	10,749.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	104,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.....	8,515.75
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,626.00
CASH in Vault and due from Banks.....	231,398.95
Total.....	\$649,470.04

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits (Earned).....	100,319.72
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	449,150.32
Total.....	\$649,470.04

STATE OF TEXAS, I, Albert W. Wilkerson, Cashier of the
County of Brazos, do solemnly swear that the
above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the
foregoing statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, 1909.
FRED. L. CAVITT, Notary Public Brazos County, Texas.

Correct—Attest: G. S. PARKER, E. H. ASTIN, J. W. ENGLISH, Directors.

lest and improperly approached. If
all that Thomas wants is to investi-
gate violations of anti-lobby law, we
shall give him until next July, but
charges reflecting on senators, I in-
sist should be investigated immedi-
ately." Pointing his finger at Thomas,
Brachfield said: "Until you have tak-
en back these charges no senator here
shall be satisfied."

Brachfield moved that the charges
against senators be investigated at

once and the violations of anti-lobby
law be set for any day the senator
from Hopkins wishes.

Thomas arose and in a dramatic
voice declared that he has lived thirty-
eight years in Hopkins county and no
man can charge him with dishonesty
and that is what he has done was for
what he believed to be right; that he
has been abused and maligned by sen-
ators, with no redress apparently, but
predicted that if expelled and sent
back home his seat would remain vac-
ant until he occupied it again. "You
can go ahead with this investigation
and force me into it at this time, and
do what you will with me, but you can-
not put fetters on my brain or padlock
on my lips." He said.

Perkins said that he had known
Thomas for a long time, but the Thom-
as then and now is different; that they
had been good friends but now he
earnestly believed that Thomas was
playing to the galleries.

Sensor Terrell (of Bowie) emphati-
cally denied that he had been ap-
proached by any one. He asserted
that Senator Thomas said one thing on
the floor of the senate and gave out
another thing to the press. He want-
ed an investigation at once.

The Brachfield motion, providing
that the senate as a committee of the
whole proceed at once to investigate
the charges against the senate and
that the question of violations of anti-
lobby law be set for next Tuesday,
prevailed.

O'Haver Resigns.

Memphis, Feb. 10.—George T. O'Hav-
er, thirty-one years chief of police,
has resigned, owing to differences with
the police commissioners. W. C. Dav-
is is his successor. Before resigning
Mr. O'Haver made a dramatic speech
in his defense.

Last Saloon Closes Saturday.

Frankfort, Ind., Feb. 10.—Clinton
county went "dry" by a majority of
over 2,000 votes in the county option
election Wednesday. All the saloons
in the county, except one in this city,
had already been put out of business
by ward remonstrances, and this sa-
loon will close next Saturday even-
ing.

How It Looked.

"I think you ought to turn the lights
up a little when your beau comes,"
said the boy who is beginning to use
big words to his older sister. "I
wouldn't sit in the dim light if I were
you. It looks too conspicuous."—New
York Press.

The Real Reason.

"Why don't you go down Mill
street?"
"Well, you see, on one side of it lives
my tailor and on the other side my
shoemaker, while a canal runs through
the middle."—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Legal Publication.

An Ordinance entitled An ordinance
authorizing the issuance of \$75,000
of bonds for the establishing of a
City Water, Light and Sewerage
Plant:

Be it ordained by the City Coun-
cil of the City of Bryan, that there
be submitted to the qualified voters
of the City of Bryan, who are prop-
erty tax payers in said City, at an elec-
tion to be held at the City Secretary's
office at the City Hall for that pur-
pose on the first Tuesday in March,
1909, the proposition for the issuance
of bonds to the amount of \$75,000.00,
\$57,000.00 of said bonds to be is-
sued for the purpose of establishing
City Water, Light & Sewerage Plant,
and \$18,000.00 for refunding of out-
standing bonds. The interest on
said bonds to be payable semi-annual-
ly at the rate of four per cent.

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J. B. HINES, Secretary.

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ANNOUNCEMENT COLUMN.

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the City Democratic primary to be held March 1st, 1909:

For City Marshal
C. C. SHELBERNE.
T. P. BOYETT.

For City Secretary
JOHN B. HINES.

BRYAN, TEXAS, FEBRUARY 11, 1909

The increase of official salaries and of the public debt goes on pari passu.

Valentines is now the favorite topic of the pert paragrapher. It is one of the perennial subjects, unlike the evanescent merry widow hat.

The incidental mention of the name of Gen. R. E. Lee by one of the speakers at the Lincoln centennial in Chicago was greeted with tumultuous cheers.

The tide of commerce is turning gulfward and in a few years the Southern import emporium preeminent will be within a few hours ride of Bryan.

Houston could save a lot of money by cutting down electric lights and substituting the radiance emitted by the flaming aureoles of those famous widows.

The Terrell broom factory has to shut down because of the prohibitive price of broom corn. Bryan farmers are losing good money by not raising broom corn.

The people of Arkansas are very sensitive about the pronunciation of the name of their state and of the new battleship named after it. They think "saw" more euphonious and every way preferable to "sass."

It is a safe rule to work by that the farmer who markets his hogs at the earliest age will get the largest percent of profit. It don't pay to feed a hog that is not increasing in weight.

The kind of hints California is giving the Japanese remind us of the story of a rustic youth who on returning sooner than was expected from a visit explained that he had received certain hints that he was not welcome and when asked what were the hints replied that they kicked him out of the house.

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BRAZOS COUNTY CORN SHOW

SPLENDID EXHIBIT BROUGHT IN
BY FARMERS OF THIS SECTION—MANY VARIETIES SHOWN.

List of Premium Winners.

The Brazos county Corn Show at the courthouse yesterday was a splendid success in every sense of the word. It was more than a success, it was a revelation and an eye opener. The corn exhibited was as fine as ever shown in Texas, and demonstrates beyond all question that Brazos is a corn county and that our farmers can grow as good corn here as can be grown in any part of the state if proper care is given to seed selection, cultivation and fertilization.

The show will result in great good for the farmers of the county. They were brought together, each was given an opportunity to see what his neighbor was doing, they exchanged ideas and experiences, and the knowledge gained will enable each one to improve his methods all along the line, and raise better corn in the future than they have ever raised before. The farmers who made exhibits expressed themselves to the reporter as highly pleased, and said they had learned many valuable pointers and hoped that this would not be the last show.

Mr. J. Webb Howell, who inaugurated the movement and worked up the premium list, is entitled to great praise for his efforts.

The county was divided into commissioners' precincts and first, second 3rd and 4th premiums were offered for the best ten ears of white, and the best ten ears of yellow corn in each precinct. Besides these premiums were offered on several special exhibits.

There were 51 exhibitors as follows:
John Kosarek, white corn.
John Suber, white and yellow.
Jim Cloud, white and yellow.
Jeff Steele, white and yellow.
L. V. Williams, white and yellow.
Jesse Henry, white.
I. F. Thompson, white.
R. M. Nall, white.
M. F. Kapchinski, white.
I. J. Holligan, white and yellow.
J. T. Jones, white.
W. J. Lawless, white.
I. N. Broadway, white and yellow.
S. E. Harlan, white and yellow.
C. M. Risinger, white.
Mark Wilcox, white.
Jim Tobias, white.
J. P. Gilpin, white.
F. Stasney, white.
I. M. Cook, white.
T. P. Hall, white and yellow.
W. T. Jones, white.
J. T. Fuller, yellow.
V. J. Freder, white.
W. L. Edge, white.
J. H. White, white.
A. B. Gandy, yellow.
W. E. Gandy, white.
Geo. Gilbert, white.
M. G. Buchanan, white.
J. J. Jones, yellow.
Sim Walton, white.
Joe Hrdlicka, white.
H. Z. T. Wilson, white.
F. W. Yeager, 4 exhibits of white and two of yellow.
J. W. Hagins, white.
T. M. Turner, white.
J. P. Pitts, white.
W. H. Morgan, white.
J. J. Vandiver, white.
Joe Boriski, white and yellow.
Howell Gandy and J. T. Conway and
—Lawless contested for premiums offered for best corn show by boys under 17 years of age.
W. M. Polk and J. J. Keith were exhibitors from Grimes county.

Prof. C. H. Alvord of the A. & M. College, did the judging and his awards were as following:
Precinct No. 1
White corn—First, C. M. Risinger; second, Jeff Steele; third, George Gilbert; fourth, George Hensarling.
Yellow corn—First, J. J. Jones; second, L. V. Williams; third, Jeff Steele; fourth, J. T. Fuller.

White corn—First, T. M. Turner; second, J. T. Jones; third, W. H. Morgan; fourth, W. L. Edge.

Yellow corn—First, Jim Cloud. Only one yellow corn exhibit from this precinct.

Precinct No. 3
White corn—First, John Kosarek; only one exhibit from this precinct.

Precinct No. 4
White corn—First, J. H. White; second, M. Wilcox; third, M. Wilcox; fourth, H. Z. T. Wilson.

Yellow corn—First, F. W. Yeager; second, S. F. Harlan; third, I. N. Broadway; fourth, F. W. Yeager.
Best corn exhibited by boys under 17 years of age—First, Howell Gandy; second, J. T. Conway; third, —Lawless.

Best corn out of Brazos county—First, J. J. Kleth, Grimes county; second, W. M. Pope, Grimes county.

Red or Strawberry corn—First, I. J. Holligan; second, John Suber.

Grand Championship white corn—First, J. H. White; second, C. M. Risinger.

Grand Championship yellow corn—First, F. W. Yeager; second, J. J. Jones.

Prof. C. H. Alvord, in commenting on the exhibit, said it would do credit to any corn show in any state.

Dr. Nathan Powell of Brenham, formerly chaplain of the A. & M. College, was present and was very enthusiastic over the splendid showing made, and he said he was going back home and try to interest his people in a similar movement.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the Farmers Institute was held in the district court room and was attended by a large number of earnest and interested farmers.

Prof. C. H. Alvord of the College, addressed the meeting on "Relation of Soil Moisture to Corn Production." He used charts and diagrams to illustrate his lecture, and was given the closest attention throughout.

Prof. H. L. McKnight, also of College, spoke on "Intensive Diversified Farming," and gave the farmers much valuable information on how to grow different crops and how to make every acre produce to the full limit.

The addresses were highly appreciated by the farmers and were a fitting close to one of the most profitable days the farmers of Brazos county have spent in many years.

MORE ABOUT HEARNE LYCHING.

The negro, Wyatt, who was hung, was first arrested and placed in the Hearne calaboose by the officers. When a deputy sheriff went to remove him, he was overpowered by the mob, the door battered down and the lynching followed.

It was reported here yesterday that the other negro implicated, was also captured Tuesday night and lynched. This report however could not be verified.

Those who made subscriptions to the building fund of the First Baptist church are requested to pay their pledges at as early a date as possible. Make payment to E. F. Parks, H. H. Newton, E. H. Edge or H. O. Boatwright. 58 Finance Committee.

Lost—A gold carved bow-knot brooch, between Baptist church and the Methodist church Sunday night. Please return to Eagle office.

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 5th, 1909

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$227,958.55	Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Prems. 146,400.00	Surplus.....75,000.00
State " " " 51,864.00	Undivided Profits (Net) 10,209.56
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures.....9,650.00	Circulation.....100,000.00
CASH.....217,287.15	DEPOSITS.....367,950.14
\$653,159.70	653,159.70

I, L. L. McInnis, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
L. L. McINNIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th of February, 1909.

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No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p.m.
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 14 North bound.....12:58 p.m.
No. 16 South bound.....4:11 p.m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

J. L. Lloyd was in yesterday from Reliance.
Joe Carnes of Harvey, was in town Wednesday.
John T. Pate was in Wednesday from Harvey.
E. H. Astin visited his farm at Mumfords yesterday.
A. W. Cloud of Kurten, was in the city yesterday.
Geo. H. Echols of Rosprim was in the city yesterday.
Henry Prinzel was in the city yesterday from Kurten.

Mrs. T. B. Johnson was reported seriously ill last night.
Judge J. W. Doremus returned from Hempstead yesterday.

Mrs. T. M. Ewing of the Brazos bottom, was in the city Wednesday.
Miss Emma Cloud was a visitor to the city yesterday from Reliance.

Mrs. B. Seelig of Helena, Ark., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Levy.
Ward Templeman, a leading merchant of Navasota, visited Bryan yesterday.

Messdames Joseph Lay and T. P. Junkin of College, were visitors to the city yesterday afternoon.

T. A. Hensarling of Steep Hollow, was in the city yesterday and carried out a big load of fertilizer.

C. R. L. Jones of Harvey, was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office while in the city Wednesday.

Dr. Nathan Powell returned to his home in Brenham yesterday after spending a few days in this city.

For Sale—Household furniture, consisting of cooking stove, two beds, chiffonier, phonograph, portable bath tub. Mrs. John Butler, Phone 364. 59

Buchanan & Cloud shipped another car of cattle to Fort Worth yesterday. Mr. Cloud accompanied the shipment.

A. J. Keith, J. J. Keith, and W. M. Pope of Keith, Grimes county, were here Wednesday attending the corn show.

R. L. Buchanan of Steep Hollow, was in the city yesterday and brought in a nice lot of sausage, spare-ribs and backbones.

Messrs. E. U. Peters and A. G. Buchanan of Harvey, sold one hundred head of stock cattle to Buchanan & Cloud yesterday.

Mrs. T. K. Lawrence has returned from an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke on their ranch in Andrews county.

Everybody should arrange to attend the Merchants Carnival at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday nights given by home talent under the auspices of the ladies of the M. E. church. A fine program, many new features. Seats only 15, 25 and 35 cents. Over 100 performers. 58

SOLONS VISIT HOUSTON.

Graphic Account of Trip and Visit to San Jacinto Battlefield by one of the Number.

Editor Bryan Eagle-Pilot:

The trip to Houston was a glorious success. The people of Houston were royal entertainers and made everything most pleasant.

The special train of fourteen sleepers and one chair car, left Austin at 10 p. m. Friday and rolled into Houston Saturday morning at 6:30. A large delegation of Houston citizens met us at the train. Special street cars were waiting in front of the main station, which conveyed us to the Rice hotel. Meal tickets were given us and everybody breakfasted.

At 8:30 a. m. we boarded special cars for Harrisburg. At Harrisburg boats awaited us for the trip to San Jacinto battlefield.

We left Harrisburg at 10:30 a. m. on the stamer Lawrence amid the cheers and shouts of the crowds that thronged the wharves. Down the ship channel we glided with the inspiring strains of "Dixie" echoing through the tall pines that lined the shores.

We arrived at the battlefield at 12:30 where a splendid barbecue dinner awaited us.

In the afternoon Mayor Rice of Houston, delivered an address of welcome which was responded to by Lieut. Gov. A. B. Davidson. Judge Norman G. Kittrell made an address on the Battle of San Jacinto, and speeches were made by Hon. A. M. Kennedy and others.

It was indeed a privilege to stand and look out over the field of honor. To see the ground over which passed the untiring and irresistible little band of Texans that made Santa Anna stand face to face with his Waterloo, and set the liberty bells of Texas ringing. To stand in the same valley that rang with the cries of "Remember the Alamo," "Remember La Bahia," that came from the throats of the bravest set of men the annals of war have ever known.

No artist could portray the picture that came to the minds of our party as we stood on the brow of the hill and looked out over the sacred grounds of San Jacinto. The vast crowd stood quiet and reverent. In our imagination the scene before us was one of war. We could see the sun sinking in the west as the little band marched out. We could see the restless pioneers waiting for the command to charge, and then—like a tornado they swept down on the Mexican forces leaving destruction in their path. It is over, the bells of liberty are pealing forth the sweetest music that ever reached the human ear. The white dove of peace hovers over the rolling prairie of the Lone Star state and the heroes whose deeds are recorded on the sweetest page in memory's book, lie down to peaceful slumber.

One of the most interesting things to be seen was the grave of Benjamin Rice Brigham who fell with eight others in the battle.

Following are the inscriptions on the splendid monument erected on the field: "Two days before the battle—: This morning we are in preparation to meet Santa Anna. It is the only chance of saving Texas. From time to time I have looked for reinforcements in vain. We will have only about 700 men to march with beside the camp guard. We go to the conquest. It is wisdom growing out of necessity to meet the enemy now; every consideration enforces it. No previous occasion would justify it. The troops are in fine spirits and now is the time for action. We shall use our best efforts to fight the enemy to such advantage as will insure victory, though the odds are great against us. I leave the result in the hands of a wise God and rely upon his providence. My country will do justice to those

who serve her. The rights for which we fight will be secured and Texas free." This was a general order issued to the men by Gen. Sam Houston.

The day after the battle—: "The sun was sinking in the horizon as the battle commenced, but at the close of the conflict the sun of liberty and independence rose in Texas, never it is hoped, to be obscured by the clouds of despotism. We have read of deeds of chivalry, and perused with ardor the annals of war; we have contemplated with the highest emotion of sublimity, the loud roaring thunder and desolating tornado, and the withering simoon of the desert, but neither of these, nor all, inspired us with emotions like those we felt on this occasion. There was a general cry which pervaded the ranks, 'Remember the Alamo, Remember La Bahia,' these words electrified all. 'Onward was the cry.' The unerring aim and irresistible energy of the Texan army could be feared by the other Texas warriors. The younger children out with proper precaution, Miss McLaren ran from room to room, whispering the alarm to the teacher in charge.

When one of her children called her attention to smoke from the fire, Miss McLaren had to think quickly.

"Children," she said, "You may all stand up and look out this window. Now, don't get frightened, because there is not any danger. If any boy shouts 'fire' he will have to sit down and then he won't see the engines."

So the pupils watched the blaze quietly from the windows. Instead of being frightened they enjoyed the spectacle. Then they had a language lesson on the fire.

One of the essayists described the teacher as a "good hero" and all said she was "brave."

ROMAN CATHOLIC PRESIDENT.

Divine of That Religious Faith Asks That One Be Elected.

New York, Feb. 11.—A Roman Catholic divine thinks a man of that faith should be made chief magistrate.

Mgr. George W. Mundelein, advocates the election of a Roman Catholic to the presidency of the United States in a speech at a dinner of the alumni of Manhattan college at the Hotel Knickerbocker.

"There has never been a president in the White House," he said, "who has had more regard and fairness for the Catholic church than President Roosevelt. He has shown it by his fearless appointment of Catholics to high offices."

As to the possibility of a Catholic being elected president of this country, the speaker said:

"Give us a Catholic, able, honest and just, and give him the solid support of a united party, and I believe he would be elected hands down, even now. The American people are just. We are the only people who have never dragged religion into politics. The Vatican trusts that it will never see the day that such is the case. We want our rights and nothing more. We want and demand the privileges granted to us by the constitution. We are 14,000,000 strong and all we ask and what we want is the free exercise of our faith, no discrimination against us and a square deal. And the man who gives us that we will vote for in the future as in the past, be he Catholic, Protestant or Jew."

Liquor Solicitors Barred.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 11.—Liquor solicitors taking orders for retail quantities to be filled outside the state were barred from Iowa by the supreme court in a decision that reverses the former decision of the court, and again puts in force the statute which was before held to be unconstitutional. Besides forbidding the actual taking of retail quantity orders in either wet or dry counties, the decision is held by Attorney General Byers to apply to mail orders.

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THE WEATHER.

Special to Bryan Morning Eagle.
New Orleans, February 10.—
Tonight and Thursday fair, warmer.
—Cline.

Weather Notes.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 9.—The Colorado storm noted yesterday is now central over Iowa, moving in a northeasterly direction. It has been preceded by warmer weather throughout the Mississippi valley and eastern districts, except New York and New England, and has been followed by much colder weather in the middle west and southwest. Precipitation has occurred over the greater portion of the country, with snowstorms in the northwest and middle west. The temperature has fallen over thirty degrees in Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma and northwest Texas. It is below zero in the northwest and the freezing line dips southward into northern Texas. The weather in this State has been fair, except that showers have occurred over the eastern third of the State. The temperature at time of report ranged from 10 degrees at Amarillo to 72 degrees at Brownsville, and the winds were west and north-west, except on the coast. It will be colder and clearing in this vicinity tonight and generally fair on Wednesday, with moderate west to northwest winds.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Free Baptist church will give a tea Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 at the home of Mrs. J. L. Edge. A cordial invitation to all.

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Unfavorable Conditions. Water Furrow Recommended. Seed Should Be Selected With Care.

During a series of years we have had fairly good seasons for production of corn and other feed crops in this part of the state and some people have grown careless about corn growing, thinking that we can from now on expect ample summer rains and therefore plenty of corn.

The ground is now very dry, and while we hope for plenty of rain in the spring we have no guarantee that we will have sufficient rainfall to thoroughly wet the soil. The indications now point to a short corn crop at best. The plowing in spring will dry out the ground on top and the subsoil will not be able to store enough water to carry a corn crop through much of a drought.

If the seasons through May and June are dry there will be very little corn made, especially on lands not broken close and deep in the fall. It behoves every farmer to secure at least a bushel of drought resistant corn seed, plant it on good land and give it careful thorough cultivation, running his plows very shallow after the first plowing. While many people scout the idea of the water furrow system of planting, the fellow who puts his corn down well into the ground this year, provided it stays dry, will be counted among the lucky ones at harvest time. It has been the opportunity of the writer to watch the last four corn crops in Southwest Texas, and note the different varieties under favorable and unfavorable conditions, and it is my opinion that we have yet to develop a variety of corn that will meet the needs of this section. Many farmers have strains of corn that could be made into the desired type by long, careful, painstaking selecting and breeding. The nearest approach to the desired type yet observed by me is a type of Mexican corn introduced through the Government laboratory seed breeders at Waco, under agents Brown and Saunders. I had about sixty demonstrations in Lee county last year, and notwithstanding the fact that it does not do as well on wet years compared to other varieties, in every instance it evidenced superior breeding, in heavier yields. One crop planted the last day of April, made 35 bushels per acre, and another planted after Irish potatoes made 30 bushels. Remember, now, that I am not a seed man, neither is the gentleman to whom I shall refer, but we are employees of the Government, sent among the farmers of this section to help them solve their problem. I would advise every farmer to get in touch with Mr. Ira Durrenberger, U. S. Special Agent, Caldwell, Texas, and secure enough of this seed to insure a small crop. He will explain to any all the kind, appearance, and leading qualities of this drought resisting, heavy fruiting corn. He can secure all the seed necessary to give each applicant a start, if notified at once.

Respectfully,
W. W. CAMPBELL,
U. S. Special Agent.
Giddings, Texas.

See the lady blacksmith, barber, porter, butcher, dentist, etc., in the Carnival at the opera house Monday and Tuesday nights, February 15 and 16th. Come prepared to laugh, you'll get your money's worth. Seats 15, 25 and 35 cents. The biggest event of the season.

CIRCUS CHILDREN.

The Making of Acrobats Begins at an Early Age.

It is nothing unusual for the larger circuses to carry thirty and forty children, ranging all the way from mere babies to boys and girls of fifteen and sixteen years of age. The majority are traveling with their parents, both the father and mother doing daily duty in the ring, and while often they are trained to follow in the steps of their elders they are seldom allowed to perform in public.

It is a common belief among circus men that the performer whose training is not started until after the age of six will seldom make a distinctive record. Following the afternoon show I often saw groups of boys, some of whom could not have been over four and five years old, practicing rudimentary somersaults and hand springs, while their parents looked on with a gratified smile. These were the families of the circus aristocracy, who treasure the records of their ancestors with the pride of a son in his father's sword and who see no more inspiring calling for their own children than that of the great white canvas.

Not that their education is neglected in other respects. Several of the families often hire an instructor—perhaps one of the performers who has the time and ability for such work—to coach their children in the standard studies. One circus has a traveling school for the youngsters. If they are to be acrobats, they are to be educated acrobats.—Bohemian Magazine.

Lowered.

Maud—Belle doesn't wear French heels any more. Her husband won't let her. Ethel—I said she would lower herself by marrying.—Boston Transcript.

THE PARAGUAYANS.

A Lazy, Happy-go-lucky People in a Bankrupt Republic.

The infusion of Spanish blood and customs into the Guarani has produced a people with the faults and good qualities of both in about equal parts. Dark of complexion, with strongly marked Indian features, essentially gentle when unrestrained or not unduly excited, careless of the morrow, poor and honest, hospitable and generous, indolent and uncultured, strongly Catholic in theory, but generally lax in religious performances as to dogmas—this is a rough sketch of the native people of Paraguay. Asuncion, the capital, and even the smaller places—Villa Rica, San Pedro, Villa del Pilar, Villa Concepcion—have their aristocratic families, of which the daughters and sons are sent to Europe to be educated and which maintain an exclusiveness that must be almost isolation. But in general the people mingle readily.

In the early morning in the streets of Asuncion the women gather in their long white dresses and barefooted to sell their wares. The younger women, judged by our standard, are beautiful and from carrying baskets and water jars on their heads have attained an erect and graceful carriage which our young women could well imitate. Besides, when they laugh they show two rows of pearls, and their speech in soft Guarani patois is worth going far to hear.

When you see Asuncion you see Paraguay, for it is the most advanced city in the republic. Its streets are poorly paved, it has mule cars which are of low bottoms and very good, and the hotel accommodations are not exceptional, but there is a kind of lazy, happy-go-lucky gaiety about the city that represents the national feeling. Paraguay is hard up—yes, almost stone broke. The currency is paper and the value so small that for a hundred dollars one receives a basketful of ragged stuff, printed in Germany, to represent some nebulous indebtedness of the republic. Gold does not stay long in Paraguay, nor does it often enter the country.—Van Norden Magazine.

EXPLOSIVES.

Best Way to Destroy Gunpowder and Nitroglycerin.

The best way to destroy ordinary black gunpowder is to throw it into a stream under conditions that prevent any harm coming to human beings or animals through the dissolving of the saltpeter. If no suitable stream is available, the gunpowder may be stirred with water in tubs, or the dry gunpowder may be poured out on the ground in a long thin line and ignited with a fuse at one end.

To destroy dynamite cartridges the paper wrappings should be carefully removed, the bare cartridges laid in a row with their ends in contact and the first cartridge ignited with a fuse without a cap. Even with these precautions a simultaneous explosion of the entire mass may occur, so that it is wise to retire to a safe distance. The row of cartridges should be laid parallel with the wind and ignited at the leeward end, so that the flame will be driven away from the mass.

Frozen dynamite should be handled with special care, as its combustion is peculiarly liable to assume an explosive character. A small quantity of dynamite may be destroyed by throwing it in very small bits into an open fire, or the cartridges may be exploded one by one in the open air with fuses and caps.

Dynamite should never be thrown into water, as the nitroglycerin which it contains remains undissolved and capable of doing mischief. Other explosives which contain nitroglycerin should be treated in the same way as dynamite.

Ammonium nitrate explosives may be thrown in small fragments into an open fire or if they do not contain nitroglycerin may be destroyed by means of water. Explosive caps should be exploded singly with pieces of fuse.—Scientific American.

His Vocabulary.

He was an only child. They were very particular about his manner of speech, constantly correcting him so that he would use beautiful English. He, however, was allowed now and then to associate with other children. He played with a neighbor boy a long while one day, and when he came home there was an ecstatic smile on his face.

"I like that boy, mother," he said. "I like him very much. He swears beautifully. He knows every word."—New York Press.

Musk rats For Meat.

Of all animals that supply meat to man the muskrat has been the most abused and the least understood, says the Baltimore Star. Its name had bred in the public mind a prejudice that has been almost unconquerable, but truth will prevail in spite of fate. As a fact the muskrat is one of the neatest and most delightful of animals. It is a crank in cleanliness. It dines with the care of an epicure. It eats only the whitest and tenderest morsels. And its flesh has qualities that can be compared only to terrapin. Indeed, there are good people along the Chesapeake, where all the best things live and grow, who find in the well served muskrat satisfaction that is equal to the diamondback. Only the ignorant and the prejudiced think differently, and they may be educated.

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